

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
WESTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ex rel. NORMAN RILLE AND NEAL ROBERTS Plaintiff v. HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY, a Delaware Corporation Defendant))))))))))))))
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Civil Action 4:04CV00989 WRW

MOTION TO STAY

In an order dated April 16 , 2010, the Court granted the parties' motion to stay the case until July 16, 2010. The Court noted, however, that, if the parties had not settled their differences by that date, the Court would set the case for trial.

The United States and Hewlett-Packard (HP) have been diligently working to reach an agreement to resolve this matter. The two parties believe that they are very close to reaching an agreement, but need additional time to resolve a few remaining issues. Relators provided documents to HP at a meeting on July 8th relating to certain payments from HP to Accenture. HP is in the process of reviewing those documents and related documents. Until that review is complete, the United States and HP will not be able to agree on a final resolution. The parties believe that an additional 45 days will allow the United States and HP to resolve the matters between them. Thus, in the interests of judicial economy and a possible settlement, the Parties request that the Court

continue the stay of this matter until August 30, 2010. Relators, Norman Rille and Neal Roberts (“Relators”), consent to a continued stay.

WHEREFORE, the Parties respectfully request that the Court grant this Motion to Stay and stay the litigation of this matter up through and including August 30, 2010.

Dated: July 16, 2010.

Respectfully submitted,

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